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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1995 No. 2983**

**The European Communities (Designation) (No. 3) Order 1995**

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the European Communities (Designation) (No. 3) Order 1995 and shall come into force on 15th December 1995.

**Designation of Ministers**

2.—(1) For the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972 the Ministers specified in column (1) of the Schedule to this Order are hereby designated in relation to the matters specified in column (2) of that Schedule.

(2) Where a Minister is designated in relation to any item in column (2) of the said Schedule, then, for the purposes of the said section 2(2), that Minister is also hereby designated in relation to anything supplemental or related to the matters specified in that item.

(3) Where more than one Minister is designated by this Order in relation to any matter, the designation of those Ministers has effect as respects the making of regulations by any of them or by more than one of them acting jointly.

**Revocation of earlier designation**

3. The designation of the Secretary of State in respect of the grant of compulsory licences under a patent where demand for the patented product in the United Kingdom is met by imports from other Member States of the Communities, in the European Communities (Designation) (No. 4) Order 1992(1), is hereby revoked.

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